

# SIKKIM



## GOVERNMENT

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### NOTIFICATION

I. The Governor of Sikkim is pleased to declare the days specified in the following Schedule to be observed as Public Holidays in all Government Offices, Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions under the Government of Sikkim during the Calendar year 2021.

### THE SCHEDULE

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date(s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	New Year's Day	01 <sup>st</sup> January	Friday	1
2.	Barahimizong	04 <sup>th</sup> January	Monday	1
3.	Maghe Sankranti	14 <sup>th</sup> January	Thursday	1
4.	Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January	Tuesday	1
5.	Sonam Lochhar	12 <sup>th</sup> February	Friday	1
6.	Losar			
7.	Bhumchu	27 <sup>th</sup> February	Saturday	1
8.	Holi	29 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday	1
9.	Good Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Friday	1
10.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti	14 <sup>th</sup> April	Wednesday	1
11.	Ramnawami (Chaite Dasain)	21 <sup>st</sup> April	Wednesday	1
12.	Id Ul Fitr	14 <sup>th</sup> May	Friday	1
13.	State Day	16 <sup>th</sup> May	Sunday	1
14.	Saga Dawa	26 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday	1
15.	Shyadar Pidar			
16.	Bhanu Jayanti	13 <sup>th</sup> July	Tuesday	1
17.	Drukpa Tshe-zi	14 <sup>th</sup> July	Wednesday	1
18.	Guru Rimpoche's Thungkar Tshechu	19 <sup>th</sup> July	Monday	1

19.	Tendong Lho Rum Faat	8 <sup>th</sup> August	Sunday	1
20.	Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August	Sunday	1
21.	Pang-Lhabsol	22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Sunday	1
22.	Janmasthami	30 <sup>th</sup> August	Monday	1
23.	Teej (Haritalika)	09 <sup>th</sup> September	Thursday	1
24.	Indrajatra	20 <sup>th</sup> September	Monday	1
25.	Gandhi Jayanti	2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Saturday	1
26.	Birthday of Late Nar Bahadur Bhandari, Former Chief Minister of Sikkim	5 <sup>th</sup> October	Tuesday	1
27.	Durga Puja (Dasain)	13 <sup>th</sup> October to 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Wednesday to Sunday	5
28.	Lhabab Duechen	27 <sup>th</sup> October	Wednesday	1
29.	Laxmi Puja (Deepawali)	4 <sup>th</sup> November to 6 <sup>th</sup> November	Thursday to Saturday	3
30.	Puhgal Parim	19 <sup>th</sup> December	Sunday	1
31.	Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam			
32.	Sakewa	24 <sup>th</sup> December	Friday	1
33.	Barahimizong			
34.	Christmas	25 <sup>th</sup> December	Saturday	1
35.	Tamu Lochar	30 <sup>th</sup> December	Thursday	1
36.	Kagyed Dance	1 <sup>st</sup> January, 2022	Saturday	1
37.	Losoong/Namsoong	3 <sup>rd</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> January, 2022	Monday to Friday	5
38.	Nyempa Guzom	8 <sup>th</sup> to 9 <sup>th</sup> January, 2022	Saturday & Sunday	2
<b>Total number of days</b>				<b>45</b>

II. In addition, **All second and fourth Saturdays** will be observed as holidays in all Government Offices and Public Sector Undertakings and Educational Institutions.

III. It is further declared that the following days shall be **RESTRICTED HOLIDAY**, a government employee shall be entitled to avail of only one per year.

Sl. No.	Occasion	Date(s)	Day(s)	No. of days
1.	Labour Day	1 <sup>st</sup> May	Saturday	1
2.	Birthday of Late Tenzing Norgay Sherpa	29 <sup>th</sup> May	Saturday	1
3.	Birthday of H.H. The Dalai Lama	6 <sup>th</sup> July	Tuesday	1
4.	Chhat Puja	10 <sup>th</sup> November	Wednesday	1

By Order and in the name of the Governor.

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